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BRITISH AND FRENCH MAKE ADVANCE

CIVILIANS KILLED IN RIOTING

Fighting Between Mob and Soldiers in
Quebec Results in Death of Four
Civilians and Injuries to Many Others

(By Associated Press)
Quebec, April 2.—Fighting between
rioting elements in Quebec and the
military forces which resulted last
night in the killing of at least four
civilians and the wounding of a num-
ber of civilians and soldiers, continued
into the early hours of today.

After midnight the firing died down
to a very great extent, but men on

house-tops sniped the soldiers for
hours. This forenoon the city was
comparatively quiet and it was hoped
that now that it had been shown that
no more breaches of law would be tol-
erated, disorderly factions would aban-
don their demonstrations.

So far, the killed and wounded
civilians appear to be innocent victims
who were not connected with the dis-
turbances in any way.

FIVE MEN KILLED IN EXPLOSION

(By Associated Press)
Pittsburg, April 2.—Five men were
killed and fourteen others seriously in-
jured as the result of an explosion at
the plant of the Fannery Holt Co.,
at Bridgeville near here today. Eleven
of the injured, all unconscious, were
brought to hospitals here on a special
train soon after noon. Officials of the
company said that the cause of the
explosion had not been determined as
yet.

CLEMENCEAU HAS NARROW ESCAPE

(By Associated Press)
Paris, April 2.—Premier Clemenceau
while making his daily visit to the
front yesterday, ventured so near the
front line that his automobile was
shelled vigorously by German artill-
ery. All of the windows in the car
were broken, but the premier escaped
unhurt.

He returned to Paris enthusiastic
and full of confidence in the favorable
issue of the present great battle.

Allies Press Forward Between the Somme and Demuin—British Take Prisoners and Machine Guns at Various Points Along the Front—Long Range Bom- bardment of Paris Continues

GOLDEN RULE CIRCLE EASTER DINNER

The inmates of the Home for Aged
Women enjoyed an especially inviting
Easter dinner Sunday through the
kindness of the Golden Rule Circle
of the Middle Street Baptist church;
this being the annual custom of this
circle.

The dinner menu consisted of roast
lamb, potatoes, onions, carrots, string
beans and peas, with ice cream and
assorted cake for dessert. The inmates
much enjoyed the feast and the kind-
ly spirit of the Golden Rule Circle
which prompted it.

Mrs. Amos R. Locke and Mrs. Tay-
lor Waterhouse were in general
charge.

CONGRESS BLOCK AGAIN CHANGES HANDS

Thomas W. Parsons has sold Con-
gress block to Albert Hisslop through
the Fred Gardner Agency. The build-
ing was purchased by Mr. Parsons
from Col. Pender about a year ago.

Read the Want Ads every day.

(By Associated Press)
Paris, April 2.—British and French
troops advanced last night between
the Somme and Demuin it is officially
announced. Over most of the front
between the Somme and Oise the night
was comparatively calm. Heavy artil-
lery fighting occurred at some
points of the line.

London, April 2.—In the sector be-
tween Avre and Luca rivers yesterday,
the British took fifty prisoners and a
number of machine guns, the war of-
fice announced. Near Hubertine the
British made a successful attack and

captured several machine guns and
prisoners. A German counter attack
was repulsed.

Paris, April 2.—The eighth long
range bombardment of Paris began at
10.10 o'clock this morning when a pro-
jectile exploded in the region of the
city.

An air raid warning was sounded at
3.15 o'clock this morning. Anti-aircraft
guns began to fire immediately and a
continuous curtain of fire was placed
around the capital. At 4.25 o'clock it
was announced that all danger was
over.

"ACCIDENTS AND SAFETY ENGINEERING"

"Accidents and Safety Engineering"
was the topic of an interesting and
educational talk given last evening by
C. C. Rausch, safety engineer at the
local navy yard, at the Baptist An-
nex.

It was the monthly meeting of the
Young Men's Guild and the gathering
was well attended and much enjoyed.

Following the lecture a social hour
was enjoyed and the serving of re-
freshments of ice cream and cake ad-
ded pleasant interest to the occasion.

GOVERNMENT WILL TAKE OVER HEALTH DEPTS.

Portsmouth will be made a war zone
in every sense of the word in a few
days, according to information that
has reached The Herald.

The plan is to have the army and
navy control the sanitary and health
departments of Portsmouth and Kil-
tory. It is said to be the plan of the
committee to make a general clean-
up here.

HOTEL ON CUTTS STREET CHANGES HANDS ONCE MORE

Sold to Peabody Parties Who
Will Enlarge It.

The wooden hotel on Cutts street
built about 15 years ago during the
days of the White Mountain Paper Co.
and which has changed hands several
times since its erection, has gone into
the hands of people from Peabody,
Mass. It was purchased a few days
ago by P. Pantelokes, D. Drasokas and
T. Laskaris, who will conduct a hotel
business there and open the same as
soon as possible. The hotel is a four-
story structure and contains forty
rooms. The property was owned by Mr. John
Yarwood.

ADD THE NAMES TO THE HERALD LIST

Send in Names of Men in Mil-
itary Service for Roll
of Honor.

Don't have the name of your father,
husband or son missing from the
Roll of Honor. The Herald will later
publish the list of Portsmouth men in
the military service and no name
should be forgotten by relatives. Send
in your names by mail or bring them
to The Herald office for the honor
list. Don't wait until it is too late and
the list has been published. The list

will be something for you to keep.
Don't have it said that you forgot
your boy's name.

DUTCH PROTEST PRESENTED

(By Associated Press)
Washington, April 2.—Formal pro-
test against the taking over of Dutch
ships by the U. S. was made today by
Netherlands Minister, Augustus Philip-
p, acting under instruction from the
Hague.

BOARD OF WAGE CONFERENCE

A committee from the navy yard has
been in conference with officials at
the Nowington and Freeman's Point
ship plant regarding wages. The com-
mittee is known as the wage adjust-
ment committee and its report goes
to Washington.

FREEMAN'S POINT NOTES

Twenty more teams have arrived
from Salem, Mass.

The big hotel will open in a few
days. The work of putting it in order
will start at once.

The ground is being made ready for
the moving of the office building.

The force will be still further in-
creased within a few days.

THE WEATHER

Forecast for Portsmouth and Vicin-
ity—Fair tonight and Wednesday.

Sun Rises..... 6.26
Sun Sets..... 7.11
Length of Day..... 12.45
High Tide..... 3.18 am, 4.21 pm
Moon Rises..... 12.54 am
Light Automobile Lamps at..... 7.41 pm

CELEBRATED POET TO LECTURE

Portsmouth people should take ad-
vantage of the opportunity to hear Al-
fred Noyes, the celebrated English poet
who will give readings from his poems
on Wednesday afternoon at four
o'clock at Pierce hall.

There will be no admission as the
Grafton club, although paying a good
sum to bring this celebrated author
here, wishes to give all who wish the
chance to hear him. It is expected the
hall will be filled on the occasion, as
Alfred Noyes stands next to Kipling
and wherever he appears is listened to
by enthusiastic audiences.

Union Rebekah lodge holds its regu-
lar meeting at 7.30 o'clock when Mrs.
Abbie R. Palmer of Berlin, president
of the Rebekah Assembly will make an
official visit to the organization.

PENALTY FOR DISLOYAL ACTS AGAINST U. S.

Senate Judiciary Committee Adopts Bill
Imposing a Ten Thousand Dollar Fine
and Twenty Years Imprisonment

(By Associated Press)
Washington, April 2.—In favorably
reporting a bill to impose drastic pen-
alty on disloyal acts, the Senate Judi-
ciary committee today adopted an
amendment by Senator Poindestor of
Washington, which prescribes an im-
prisonment of twenty years and a ten
thousand dollar fine for "whoever by
word or act shall support or favor the

cause of the German empire or its al-
lies in the present war, or by word or
act oppose the cause of the United
States therein."

The committee also approved the
same penalty for persons obstructing
the government bond issues, and for
willfully "attempting" as well as actual
attempt to obstruct recruiting or en-
listment in the army.



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GOODS ON DUTCH SHIPS TAKEN OVER

Washington, April 2.—Formal orders for the taking over of all Dutch goods, including foodstuffs and stores belonging to the Dutch ships in American ports which have been seized by the United States, were issued yesterday by President Wilson.

Some of the masters of the vessels removed or attempted to remove navigational instruments, compasses and other equipment when they surrendered possession of their ships.

The navy was directed to take possession of the property and the shipping board was instructed to make full compensation to the owners in accordance with the international law. The order applies to property already acquired as well as that still to be obtained from the ship's officers.

SAGE TEA DANDY TO DARKEN HAIR

Look Years Younger Use the old-time Sage Tea and Sulphur and Nobody Will Know

You can turn gray, faded hair beautifully dark and lustrous almost overnight if you'll get a bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound at any drug store. Millions of bottles of this old famous Sage Tea have been improved by the addition of other ingredients, are sold annually, says a well-known druggist here, because it darkens the hair so naturally and every that no one can tell it has been applied.

Those whose hair is turning gray or becoming faded have a surprise awaiting them, because after one or two applications the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful.

This is the age of youth. Gray-haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around so get busy with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound tonight and you'll be delighted with your dark, handsome hair and your youthful appearance within a few days.

This preparation is a toilet requisite and is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

DOVER

Dover, April 2.—Fire was discovered in the lodging house of Mrs. Catherine McCarthy, 15 Second street, Monday morning about 1 o'clock. It was impossible for the firemen to remain in the house for more than a few minutes at a time owing to the very dense smoke. The damage amounted to about \$300 and was covered by insurance. The fire was caused by one of the lodgers who was smoking in bed.

The funeral of Margaret Coulton, infant daughter of Joseph and Mary (Blason) Coulton, who died at her home, 14 Chapel street, was held at St. Charles church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Burial was in the family lot at St. Charles cemetery.

Miss Julia Towle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Towle of Dover, was married Sunday evening to Charles H. Stevens of Phillips, Me., at the Dover Baptist church by Rev. E. K. Amazeen. After an extended honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Stevens will reside at the home of the bride's parents, at the Bay View farm.

Street Commissioner John Worcester announced Monday morning a ten per cent increase in wages for all employees of the street department. The new schedule went into effect today. Under the new arrangement the employees will receive \$2.75 per day, which is an increase of 75 cents since Mr. Worcester assumed office 15 months ago.

Mrs. E. J. Card, chairman of the local committee having charge of the

QUALITY OF WOOLENS

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TO HOLD BIG PARADE IN BOSTON

Boston, April 2.—Everyone from the chief marshal down will walk in the "All-American" parade Saturday afternoon. There will be no horses or automobiles in line unless they are used in connection with floats. Also, instead of being a purely civic parade, it has been decided to have the first division made up of military and semi-military organizations owing to the flood of applications for position in line.

Indications at present show that the parade of all who have promised to actually march, will be the longest ever seen in this city. More than 50,000 men and women had been assigned positions in the big pageant up to yesterday afternoon. Some of the floats will be highly artistic and in many ways the most pleasing seen in such a demonstration in Boston.

The All-American parade committee, so great has been the demand from military and semi-military organizations for place in the line, has modified its plan to preserve the demonstration as an entirely civilian one. It is now announced that the first division of the parade will be a military section.

A squad of mounted police will lead the parade as the only participants to cover the route on horseback. Even the chief marshal will walk. The floats will be the only conveyances in the main line of march, all other automobiles and horse-drawn vehicles being barred.

Following the police escort will be a band of 30 pieces and a drum corps of 10 pieces. Then will march the chief marshal and his staff and members of the Liberty loan committee of New England.

The first division will then follow. Included in this division will be the state guard representation, Col. Charles Pratt, 11th regiment, and 500 men; Col. R. P. Ballard, 12th regiment, and 500 men; Col. Thomas P. Sullivan, 10th regiment, and 500 men; Lt. Col. John, 2d battalion, 13th regiment, and 65 men; ambulance company No. 1, 1st motor corps, 400 men. Also in the division will be the 1st troop of cavalry, 65 men, led by Mr. Horatio Hathaway, 50 men of the national lanceurs, the Harvard regiment of 500 men, led by Capt. Jackson Caldwell; 100 veterans of the G. A. R.; 200 Spanish war veterans and 40 men of the 1st regiment of veterans.

NEW CASTLE

Miss Maude Mathys of Newmarket is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Mabel Boylston.

Mr. Frank H. Nelson of Portsmouth and his son Frank H., editor of The Boston Record, were among the visitors in town Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Robinson is confined to her home by the measles.

Mr. Raymond DeCoff has returned from a visit with relatives at his former home, Leominster, Mass.

Mrs. Bessie Daniels, after a pleasant visit with Miss Ruth Martin, has returned to her home in Boston.

Tickets are selling rapidly for the entertainment given under the auspices of the Red Cross in Pythian hall next Friday evening, April 5th. From present indications the entertainment will consist of such a variety that could not fail to suit the most fastidious.

While the writer has no ambition to brag, but wishes the readers to know that anyone who fails to attend will miss one of the finest entertainments of the kind that ever happened.

Gertrude, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gillman is confined to her home by the measles.

Charles Meloon is restricted to his home by a severe cold.

Mr. George W. Maynard who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Boylston, has returned to his home in Boston.

EXETER

Exeter, April 2.—The annual inter-society debate between the Golden Branch and the G. L. Soule literary societies of the academy was held Monday evening in the academy chapel. The subject was "Resolved, That the National Prohibition Amendment Should Be Ratified by the States." The affirmative was upheld by the G. L. Soule. The speakers for the G. L. Soule were William M. Pond of Torrington, Conn., Corliss Lamont of Englewood, N. J., and Carroll H. Huddleston of New York with Clifton T. Fordyce of Little Rock, Ark., as alternate. Those for the Golden Branch, which had the negative, were Ralph J. Houghton of Wallington, Miss., Norrie H. Cotton of Warren, and Clement B. P. Gault of New York, with Arthur P. Chism of Rufford, Me., as alternate. The affirmative won the debate.

At the regular meeting of Gillman grange, held Monday evening, the program was "All Boats Afloat," each member relating a joke on himself. A farce, "Why We Never Married," was given; violin solos by Rev. Rev. J. Prescott; an essay on "The Origin of All-Boat Days" by Mrs. Vivian J. Prescott; and an address on "Y. M. C. A. Work in the Country Towns," by Lawrence B. Hayes, secretary of the Rockingham county Y. M. C. A.

The Exeter chapter of the Daugh-

ters of the American Revolution met Monday evening with Mrs. George P. Kimball on Court street. It was guest night, the members bringing guests.

The funeral services of Mrs. Josephine J. Eaton, widow of James Eaton, were held Sunday afternoon at the home in Stratham, conducted by Rev. Mr. Lett, pastor of the Federated church of that town. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker E. J. Jenkins of Exeter.

The figure of the Goddess of Justice, which has been down since last October, when it was moved from its base by a heavy gale, was Monday replaced on its foundation on the top of the town hall cupola. The figure has been repaired and no represents a better appearance. The work was done by George H. Brown.

The academy closed its winter term for the Easter vacation, reopening on April 10.

An Easter Monday ball was held Monday evening by the Wehannovitch Club of Red Men at Red Men's hall. The committee of arrangements, consisted of Charles D. Boyers, chairman; Charles L. Mitchell, Michael Cassidy, LeRoy Hersey, William Callahan, William Hope, George Eno, Charles L. Field and David Myles. Dancing was held from 8 to 12.

CANADIAN TIME BEHIND THAT OF U. S. NOW

Toronto, April 2.—Canada today lies behind the United States in the matter of time by many minutes. The inconvenience resulting to travelers and others, through the difference in time is such that many appeals, probably will be made to the Canadian government to speed up the Canadian day light saving bill, so that Canadian time shall conform with that of the U. S. in the corresponding time divisions of the continent.

ROCHESTER

Rochester, N. H., April 2.—There was an Easter Monday wedding at Holy Rosary church at 7 a. m. the contracting parties being Edgar Morin of Brockton, Mass., and Miss Lucy Ouellette of this city. Rev. Father C. S. Lacroix officiated, and the couple were attended by Antonio Morin of Brockton, father of the groom, and Louis Grenier of this city. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Clara Ouellette. A reception and wedding breakfast followed the ceremony at the home of the bride, 5 Lafayette street, and later the bridal party left for Philadelphia, Me., where a reception will be held in the evening. The bride wore white silk and carried a white rose. She has been employed in the Springfield Leatherboard mill, North Rochester, and the groom is a shoe operative in Rochester where the couple will live.

As Arthur Shorey of East Rochester was at work making repairs on the barn on the Thomas A. Peavey estate, in Lebanon, Me., he fell some 15 feet. One ankle was broken and the other severely sprained.

The hearse at the funeral of Michael Ladden Sunday afternoon was Thomas Blake, James Brennan, William Haley, Dennis Brennan, Michael McElm and Patrick Casey, Mass. was said for the deceased at St. Mary's church by Rev. Father J. J. McNamara this morning.

A DAGGER IN THE BACK

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The Auto Chemical has been busy for the past few days with grass fires. The interior however, office, was kept open last evening to allow those who were behind in their income returns to get busy and get them in.

There were a few late on Monday morning and they got away with it on the ground of having overslept, owing to the change of time. To those who trusted to getting up without the aid of the alarm clock, there was a liability to sleep a little later.

COWS OBJECT TO SAVING DAYLIGHT

Augusta, Me., April 2.—The only circumstance so far heard, to the interference with either Time by the federal government is from a few cows on the Bangor road. They object to being milked an hour earlier in the morning. Some of the farmers say that the process of manufacturing the lactated fluid by the bovines is not really completed an hour ahead of the accustomed time and there may be some loss in the milk supply.

LARGE WOODEN STEAMER WILL BE LAUNCHED

(By Associated Press)
Orange, Texas, April 2.—The War Mystery, said to be the largest wooden steamer ever launched and which now lies in the Sabine river being equipped with steam engines will launch its title as the world's greatest for only a brief period. Five other ships of similar design, each with a cargo capacity greater than the War Mystery are in course of construction here and by the way that work is progressing all will soon be in the water.

In addition to these more than a score of smaller wooden vessels are in the local yards all in different stages of completion and all progressing rapidly, under the hands of 400 ship builders, most of whom have gathered here within the year.

The War Mystery has a cargo capacity of 4700 tons while the five great ships to be launched will be able to carry for 5000 tons each.

Nearly all of the lumber that goes into these vessels is grown on the Gulf coast, in most instances only a short distance from Orange. Preparatory to the activity in the shipbuilding industry, saw mills were estab-

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GERMANY FEARS TO SEND WOUNDED HOME

(By Associated Press)
Washington, April 1.—A French official estimate of the German losses in the great battle, puts the total from 275,000 to 325,000. Germany is sending the wounded into Belgium for fear of the effect on the people if so many were sent back home.

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GERMAN OFFENSIVE HAS COME TO A HALT

(By Associated Press)

While the advance of the German army in Picardy has come almost to a halt there has been savage fighting on the extreme western edge of the line north of Moreuil, but there seems to be no decided advantage on either side.

The Germans are claiming that they have taken the heights near this town and the woods in advance of their line near Moreuil, but the British state that they have driven back the enemy over that front and have retaken ground.

The French line further south has stood firm and in the line eastwards have taken some ground. This is a part of the line that was subjected to such terrific shelling last week. In a number of sectors the French have made some gains, and they have established their line solid along the Oise river.

The expected allied counter attack has not come, but the Germans who are entrenching on the French front evidently expect it on that line. The elements are working to delay the German advance. Heavy weather has prevailed and if it continues for any length of time it will be great advantage to the allies, as they are moving up their troops and supplies over hard ground, while the Germans are moving over shot and shell torn ground, that is soft and bad for artillery and supply trains.

The chief German offensive is around Moreuil and Albert and around these places the fighting has continued with unabated fury, with the Germans hurling their fighting men against the British lines, only to be moved down by machine guns, rifles, and artillery, a terrible slaughter.

The German efforts in the Moreuil region is to reach the Amiens-Paris railroad, which is about five miles distant. The line cut by the Germans at

Montdidier was a branch of this road but its loss was unimportant.

The beginning of April, a month whose dates are so engraved on American history finds the soldiers of the United States to be on their way to take their place in the zone of the fiercest fighting.

There has been American troops in the great battle since March 21, but now General Pershing is leading a force of over 100,000, nobody knows how many, to places assigned to him by Gen. Foch on this greatest of all battlefields.

A report from General Pershing to the War Department was that conditions were improving but gave no information regarding the movement of the American troops.

It is not probable that the German General Staff are contented with their present position and many believe that they are getting ready for a great blow at the Italian front. Some reports that they are moving troops for activity on the Asiago plateau. Attempts of the Austrians to advance in Albania on the east coast of the Adriatic have been repulsed by the Italians.

British troops in Mesopotamia have added another success, having pushed forward from Bagdad to near Aleppo. If the British can hold Aleppo and there join the forces of Gen. Allenby which have worked north from Palestine, they will have cut off the Arabia peninsula, and have isolated the Ottoman empire.

Roumania and Russia have negotiated a treaty by which the Roumanians agree to evacuate Bessarabia. Germany has sent a protest to Petrograd against the Bolshevik sending troops into Finland and threatening that unless it is stopped, to take action.

Krutek is reported to have been captured by the Teutonic prisoners who have been armed and are being organized under their old officers.

ure which makes for greater unity and cooperation.

The Daily Chronicle says: "Whatever views different people hold as to the unification of the allied command under ordinary circumstances, we believe few will dispute its necessity in a battle like the present one."

London, April 1.—Unanimous approval is given the appointment of General Foch to be generalissimo of the allied forces in France by the morning newspapers, including those which have been loudest in their opposition to such a move. Many columns are devoted to his career.

"The appointment," says the Daily Mail, "secures complete unity, a price less asset on the side of the Allies, and means that the movements of Field Marshal Haig and General Foch will be linked together."

The Daily Telegraph says: "In conferring this authority upon the most distinguished and successful of French generals in the field, the allied governments have come at length to what from a purely military standpoint is the incontestably right thing."

The Daily News declares that Premier Lloyd George's statement on the appointment puts an end to a controversy which never should have been allowed to arise, and adds: "Assuming that General Foch's powers are confined to the limits laid down by the premier and that the responsibility for the conduct of the British campaign still rests unimpaired with the British commander, the main objections to the creation of a generalissimo vanish, and it is even possible to share President Wilson's belief that the new unity of command is a hopeful augury."

The Morning Post says: "For those with whom success for the allied arms is the first consideration, this is no moment to look askance at any means."

Medical aid is to be provided from

hospital funds, which are to be organized in large towns and in the various districts, and consist of first aid attention, hospital treatment, etc. This is to be supplemented by medicines given gratis, and by a free supply of nourishing food.

Monetary assistance from the hospital funds is given in cases of sickness accompanied by incapacity to work, in cases of child-birth and in cases of death for funeral expenses.

It is provided that the monetary aid in cases of illness shall equal the full wage of the worker and shall be paid from the first day of incapacity owing to sickness until the day of full recovery.

The hospital funds are to be created from deposits made by employers amounting to 10 per cent of the wage of each member of the hospital funds, from the profits on property belonging to the hospital funds and from subscriptions.

SLAYER OF COHEN IS ARRESTED

(By Associated Press)

New York, April 1.—A man identified as the slayer of Harry Cohen who was shot and killed by a gunman for four that he was going to give the police information, was arrested this evening. He was identified by Joseph Diney, a negro elevator operator. He gave his name as Maurice Tathenberg and said that he was a bartender, but he denied that he had shot Cohen or that he knew anything about it. He was however locked up.

BELL TO THE WESTERN DEPARTMENT

(By Associated Press)

Washington, April 1.—Major General Franklin Bell, U. S. A., who has been in command of the 7th division of the National Army at Camp Upton was today assigned to the Western Department with headquarters at San Francisco. Major General Bell recently returned from a tour of inspection of the western front in France.

MILITIA SUPPRESSES RIOTING

(By Associated Press)

Quebec, April 1.—Rioting by the Anti-conscriptors again broke out here tonight and the military government which has taken charge are taking vigorous measures to suppress it. The cavalry have charged the mob inflicting many and arresting as many of the leaders as they can reach.

CANNON WITH RANGE OF 105 MILES

(By Associated Press)

Washington, April 1.—Plans for a supercannon, a great long range gun, possible of the sub caliber type have been submitted to Secretary Daniels after months of experiment. It is figured to have a range of 105 miles. Secretary Daniels would not discuss the gun.

TAX ON RENTAL IN PARIS

Paris, April 1.—The tax commission of the municipal council of Paris has proposed the levying of a municipal war tax running from one and a quarter per cent to three and a half per cent of rentals. A man paying rent of the equivalent of \$200 a year would pay the equivalent of \$2.60 tax. A thousand dollar a year apartment, of which there are a great many in Paris, would pay \$26.

This proposition is put forward in order to lighten the increases that must be made in taxes that the city levies on provisions in order to make up the deficit in the city finances.

WANT THEM TO MARRY

Amsterdam, April 1.—To encourage matrimony, the food authorities at Bonn, Prussia, have offered to each couple which marries and settles in the town the following price: thirty pounds of potatoes, two pounds of coffee substitute, two pounds of flour, two pounds of oatmeal, five pounds of sugar, two pounds of fat, and ten

CHILDREN HATE PILLS, CALOMEL AND CASTOR OIL

If cross, feverish, constipated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them! How you fought against taking them!

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well founded. Their tender little insides are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep their harmless "fruit laxative handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach; and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Beware of cheap imitations sold here. See that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

U. S. URGED "TO DELIVER THE GOODS"

London, April 1.—The Sunday Pictorial, a weekly paper of immense circulation, prints an article from Lord Fraser, a well-known writer for the Northcliffe press, whom it describes as "one of our ablest publicists" on the subject of Germany's supreme bid for victory. In concluding his article, after discussing the subject of raising the military age, the writer sums up as follows: Four courses are open.

First—To accelerate and intensify the output so far as war industrial requirements will permit.

Second—To apply compulsion to the land. If the Government summons Englishmen of fifty to the colors while afraid to deal with young Ireland then it is too cowardly to fight Germany effectively.

Third—To speed up American reinforcements. There are twenty million men of military age in the United States, which entered was a year ago next Saturday, and which always has been regarded as a land of husks.

Fourth—To begin a diversion in Siberia by the Japanese army. Japan possesses nearly sixty divisions which have been immobilized largely owing to Washington.

"Until Washington has delivered the goods it has no right to adopt a policy which tends to keep a powerful army out of the war while the Western Allies are bleeding from gunshot wounds."

"We get a great many admulatory messages from the United States and I hope the above message may go across the ocean in return. I have many American friends and never knew of them to resent plain speaking."

A LIEUTENANT KILLED BY FALL

(By Associated Press)

Wichita Falls, Tex., April 1.—Lieut. Louis B. Jackson Jr., was killed at Calais field near here today when his machine fell 1500 feet out of control. A cadet who was with him escaped with slight injury.

GETTING READY FOR PAVING JOB

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APRIL OPENS WITH NEW RECORD FOR TEMPERATURE

Monday was one of the warmest days for April first for many years. It was a continuation of the ideal spring weather of Sunday, with a higher temperature.

There was a warm southerly wind and at noon the temperature was 76 in the shade and it remained well above the sixties until well after sundown. The warm spell is working wonders with the frost which is coming out of the ground fast and the roads are in really remarkable condition for this time of the year.

GETTING READY FOR LIBERTY LOAN DRIVE

In preparation for the Liberty Loan drive, there was a meeting on Monday afternoon at three o'clock. At the Chamber of Commerce rooms of the team captains, Chairman C. M. Sise and team supervisor J. P. Conner outlined to the team captains their work and the districts were laid out, being practically the same as used during the Red Cross and other drives.

SMALL CASUALTY LIST FROM PERSHING

(By Associated Press)

Washington, April 1.—There were twenty-five reported on the casualty list in the forces in France announced by the War Department today. They are divided as follows: One killed in action, one died of wounds, four died of disease, two severely wounded and seventeen slightly wounded.

HOUSE REFUSES SENATE WHEAT PRICES

(By Associated Press)

Washington, April 1.—The Senate amendment to the Agricultural bill fixing the government price of wheat at \$2.50 was disagreed to by the House today, and it will be reported back and in the House a separate vote will be demanded.

AMBULANCE NURSE KILLED IN PARIS

Paris, April 1.—Mlle. Germaine Franck, auxiliary nurse at the American Ambulance at Neuilly, was one of those who were killed in the church which was struck by a German shell.

PRACTICAL PATRIOTISM

The U. S. Department of Agriculture, charged with the government's war program of increased food production has found no single factor more inspiring than the enthusiasm and the success with which business men through their commercial organizations in the towns and cities, are turning their talents and energies to the agricultural problem. They have entered into an adequate appreciation of the vast war importance of the production of food. They understand the pressing necessity of securing a sufficient supply of farm labor, and they know it must be supplied by emergency workers from the towns and cities. They see that the farmer's war problems—and they are working very wholeheartedly with the farmer to solve them.

For instance in Wilkes-Barre, Pa., the Chamber of Commerce held conferences with the farmers—hundred meetings attended by from three hundred to five hundred farmers who came in from all parts of the county to meet the business men and discuss the farmers' needs. As a result, the Chamber of Commerce has undertaken an elaborate program of co-operation with the farmers of the county—the raising of a fund of \$10,000 to be available for individual financial assistance where necessary; assistance in the purchase of farm machinery and other supplies.

BE REASONABLE

You that are housing war-workmen here in Portsmouth can perform a patriotic duty by making the job of living as pleasant and as economical as is possible to the working man. That means fair prices.

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plids; a systematic war garden campaign all over the county—and the most important feature just now—the securing of an emergency farm labor supply to meet the needs for planting, cultivating and harvesting.

The Greater Wilkes-Barre Chamber of Commerce adopted a plan that many commercial organizations will doubt find effective—the utilization in its war program, of the various clubs of the city, co-ordinated under a central directing authority and all working together as parts of one machine.

All the first function meeting held in the latter part of February, three hundred farmers were present. A week later the business men invited the farmers to a similar meeting and five hundred came in representing every nook and cranny of the county. With this, the cooperative war-work program was on its feet, earnest, for after the second meeting every strong business man and every good farmer in the county knew, absolutely that each had gained an unshakable spirit of confidence in the ability of such a combination to face and solve the agricultural or other war problems, of that section.

Thus the 3,700 farmers in the county, were divided into groups of five, each group, of course, being composed of contiguous farms. Each fifth farmer was made chairman of his group, charged with the duty of ascertaining and reporting the exact labor and other needs of his four associates and himself. The 740 reports when classified and compiled will show the exact labor needs of the county—the number of workers an individual or a community will need, and the time they will be needed.

The Rotary Club of Wilkes-Barre was assigned by the Chamber of Commerce to the job of securing and transporting labor. A preliminary survey showed the practicability of securing a large number of women of foreign birth, living in Wilkes-Barre, who had worked on farms in their native lands and who are experienced and physically capable farm help. All the efforts of the foreign churches in the city aided the Rotary Club in the enrollment of these women for farm work. This supply will be the principal one immediately around Wilkes-Barre. It seems, although other sources are being listed and will be called if needed. Boys have been organized in squads, each in charge of a competent man, and will be available as farm conditions require. The Chamber of Commerce has worked out a plan of automobile distribution of the emergency farm labor.

The Kiwanis Club has been placed in charge of the war-garden work in the county. A speaking program, with lectures by garden experts, will reach every schoolhouse and industrial plant in county and towns. The school-teachers have been organized, and committees appointed at each plant and factory, to further this work.

The Greater Wilkes-Barre Chamber of Commerce could have undertaken the farm labor and other features of the campaign with its own organization exclusively, and no doubt would have found it effective. But it saw an opportunity of coordinating other potential machinery for the campaign—of getting practically every energetic, representative man in the entire county, both town and rural dwellers, to put his shoulder to the wheel.

The chambers of commerce are in the war!

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The Associated Press.

Intelligent readers of newspapers not only want the news when it is news, but they want it from a source which they know to be reliable. And especially at such a time as the present, when the most important and thrilling news is to be disseminated day after day, do they demand that what they read in their papers shall be dependable so far as it lies in human power to make it so.

And it is at such a time that the Associated Press, the oldest, ablest and most reliable news-gathering agency in the world, shines with ever-increasing luster. Its service has for years been recognized as superior to all others of the kind, and since the beginning of the great war it has constantly justified its claims to distinction. This paper is proud to be numbered among the vast array of newspapers served by the Associated Press.

The resources of this great organization are practically unlimited. Its financial means are equal to all demands and its work is in the hands of trained men of demonstrated ability and wide experience. It is in direct contact with the important affairs of the world in all parts of the world, and is able to give its members the benefits of a system of news gathering and dissemination that has never been equalled.

The Associated Press does its work thoroughly. It does not experiment or take chances in the hope of securing a "beat." It learns what is going on and supplies its members with facts and not with guess-work. This policy has been followed from the day of its organization, and the result is that it has the absolute confidence of newspaper readers all over the world.

The Associated Press is not in itself sensational. It gathers and sends out the news, whatever the news may be, and the facts are presented as they are. Because of this the public's confidence in this unparalleled news agency is unqualified. Readers of the newspapers served by the Associated Press have learned that they can depend upon it, and they do depend upon it. Their confidence has been won by square dealing and is retained by unvarying adherence to a policy which has resulted in the development and upbuilding of an organization that has no equal in its line of work.

It is needless for this paper to say that it is proud of its membership in this great organization. It is impossible for a paper of this size to avail itself of the full service of the Associated Press, but it takes pride and pleasure in furnishing its readers with the best, so far as it goes, and is able to go far enough to present in concise form the essential elements of the important news of the day. And when its readers have perused its columns they are in a position to know that they have read the news, and not a guess or a gamble.

It is claimed that delay in the construction of airplanes has been partly due to the employment in the factories of enemy agents who have "monkeyed" with the machines in a way to render them partly or wholly useless. It would seem that the authorities in charge of the work ought to have been able to prevent anything of this sort. On the whole, it seems like a rather flimsy excuse for the bungling of a big and important job.

United States Senator Gallinger of this state celebrated his 81st birthday in Washington a few days ago and received the hearty congratulations of his fellow members of both parties. He has done and is doing a service which gives him high standing in his state and the country, and all hope his present vigor of mind and body will continue until the close of his term in 1921, when he purposes to retire.

"American reinforcements across the Atlantic in the shortest possible space of time" is the pressing need of the hour according to David Lloyd George, prime minister of England. This is no false alarm, and the War Department should govern itself accordingly. The time for nibbling around the edges has gone by and the time for vigorous action is at hand.

All in a position to aid in establishing Portsmouth's "Roll of Honor" should respond promptly to the invitation to do so. Let the list be completed at the earliest possible date, that all may know and honor the names of the young men of this city who are voluntarily in the service of their country on land and sea.

Are there no dogs in Australia? They manage to raise wool there and send it to this country, where it brings \$1.75 a pound. If they could get that price New England farmers would be likely to be heard from, dogs or no dogs.

"Nothing to report," says General Pershing with reference to the American troops in France, but a French captain says they "fight like veterans." And we are inclined to believe the French captain.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Not By a Long Shot!

(From the Auburn Citizen)
We suppose that anything big in the future will be called a "flim of a gun."

Calling On Slaves

(From the Baltimore Star)
The fact that Austrians and Bulgarians are fighting on the western front indicates that the Teuton man power must be waning.

Back of Him—The System

(From the Springfield Union)
A lighted cigarette is now said to have been the cause of the Jersey City explosion and fire. Back of the cigarette was a man with a German name, and back of him what?

Peace And Concord

(From the Boston Commercial Bulletin)
There is, perhaps, a good omen in the location of the headquarters of the American Red Cross in Paris at 4 Place de la Concorde. It may be said that we are established at 4 Peace Square to work for a square peace.

Dutch And Other Dutch

(From the New York Herald)
There are Dutch who would like to be swallowed by Germany, and there are other Dutch who would fight to the end against the swallowing. Just now we are hearing much about those who favor playing the part of Jonah in the Poldam whale.

A Censor for the Censorate

(From the New York Herald)
As the result of the investigation conducted by a committee of the United States Senate, the Committee on Public Information has had to admit itself to be a committee of misdirection. Is it going to be necessary to establish a censorship over the censorate?

The Vernal Peril Threatens

(From the Springfield Union)
The season of forest fires is at hand, and now more than ever there is need of the utmost watchfulness and care to guard against serious timber losses and other property destruction. There has been more than the usual wood cutting activity in the last few weeks, causing accumulations of brush heaps on which the flames may feed and increasing the danger to the corrwed stacked in piles and waiting to be carried away. With the fuel situation as it has been, and with the possibility that there may be another fuel shortage next winter, the need of safeguarding the timber supply should be apparent.

Wait For The Third Act

(From the Chicago Evening Post)
"The first act is ended," says Von Hindenburg.
The gentleman is in error. It is the second act that has ended. In the first act, if we have not forgotten our melodrama, the diabolical plot is conceived, the villain makes his plans and vanishes, with every prospect from the hero's standpoint seemingly full of promise. In the second act the villain puts his plans into execution; the curtain falls upon the hero about to perish beneath an onrushing train, or to be blown to pieces by a bomb. Vice is triumphant and the villain gleeful. It is in this act that we have just witnessed with Von Hindenburg rubbing his hands and chuckling as he looks upon the success of his work.
But the third act is the act where the villain "gets his."
And the third act is to come.
Wait for it.

Hurry!

(From the Kansas City Times)
These critical days on the western front can have only one effect on America. They will bring home to every person the need of concentrating every energy and purpose on the single aim of winning this war.

If only we could be doing our share in France today for the cause of civilization!

That wish must translate itself into action as rapidly and as effectively as possible. It is impressed on us now as never before that every day is precious. We must build ships, train men, manufacture guns and airplanes with the energy that comes from the knowledge that on the promptness of our nation may depend the outcome of the war.

The message from France to America today remains: "For God's sake, hurry!"

What We Should Do

(From the Kansas City Star)
The only safe way for America to proceed is on the assumption that the war is just beginning. We ought to plan exactly as though we were going to fight Germany alone. We have no artillery in France and no airplanes. Our expeditionary force has not reached numbers to constitute more than a mere reserve in such a battle as is now raging. We cannot, according to General Wood, expect to make our weight felt for another year. These facts must be met squarely. If they are appreciated by the American people there will be instant public demand for a broader foundation for our whole military structure, so that when it does come to completion it will be adequate to the task to which it will be applied.

An army of four or five million men ships to transport and maintain them an air fleet of six or seven hundred planes overhead, cannot be given a clear path across any terrain, machine guns in limitless number—these are

the things America must set itself to do if it is to meet what is ahead. America has its warning in the guns of Hindenburg now roaring in the British front falling back. It has it in the grave words of General Wood, who has seen and studied the situation. Will it regard that warning and act now before it is too late?

A Precious Hour

(From the New York Evening Post)
Philosophers, connoisseurs of human nature, and those historians who ascribe the fall of Rome to a malarial mosquito will be heard to remark that no permanent change in mankind's inevitable trend toward night-life can be accomplished by mere legislation. They will point out that the shortening of daylight and the lengthening of illuminated hours have coincided almost exactly with the improvement of lighting and the growth of material prosperity. Daylight has always been devoted to work; artificial light to amusement. Hence, as soon as immediate pressure is removed, these scientists would maintain, we shall sag back again into our old ways, late suppers, theatres and late rising. However that may be, for the present the new schedule will present us with an additional daylight hour, and, therefore, for purposes of work, really with an entirely new resource in time. What to do with this added hour ought not to be hard to discover; under present international circumstances, what not to do with it might be more difficult to determine. For one thing, a firm resolution not to talk nonsense about matters which we don't understand, such as military tactics in France and the Administration's war measures, might be among the first adopted.

America's Warning

(From the Kansas City Star)
No American can possibly misread the meaning of General Wood's statement to the Senate Military Committee—or those portions of it that have been allowed to reach the public. The meaning of it is that America's military preparations—great as we have thought them—are inadequate to the tremendous task before us, and would be inadequate even if those preparations were complete.

If the National Army now in cantonments were in France it would not be big enough to play the part our allies have, in reason, expected of us. We must broaden the foundations upon which our Army is building if expectations of it for the future are to be met, and that can be accomplished only by the immediate adoption of the universal training and service principle. We ought now to be training the Army that is to follow the present selective Army—now in cantonments—to France. General Wood has not underrated the job before us in suggesting that two million men in France and two million more in training camps are not too many. There can be no end to this war until Germany is thoroughly beaten, and it is only the truth to say that Germany is today showing great strength.

NAVY YARD NOTES

New Public Works Officer

Civil Engineer L. A. Bellenger, who has been on duty at Cavite, is at the local yard where he will shortly take up his duties as public works officer.

Back on Duty

General Manager Adams of the Industrial Department who has been on the sick list reported for duty on Monday.

Trades School Good Thing

Many of the workmen are taking advantage of the trades school recently established at the local navy yard which is a good opening for helpers to advance themselves to a good trade.

More Helpers Called

A call including two woodworker's helpers, eight shipfitter's helpers and two chauffeurs was made by the Industrial Department Monday.

First Woman on the Job

For the first time in the history of the U. S. navy, a woman has been recommended to Secretary Daniels for appointment as assistant paymaster. The woman is Miss Sue Dorsey of Washington, D. C., who is now employed in the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts.

Workman Dies on Job

David Carney, aged 35, of Charlestown, a laborer in the oil house at the Charlestown navy yard, died suddenly yesterday noon. The medical examiner pronounced death due to natural causes. He had been employed at the Charlestown navy yard for a year and was apparently in good health when he went to work yesterday morning.

Twenty-Three More Called

The labor board today made the following call for the Industrial Department: 6 joiners, 6 machinists' helpers, 10 general helpers and one farrier.

Takes House on the Island

Chief Jay Clerk John F. Flynn of the supply department has moved his household effects from Boston and taken a residence on Budget's Island.

May Succeed Ashworth

Rumor has it that Master Shipmate Chaffoy, of the Charlestown navy yard, may be transferred to the local yard to succeed Master Mechanic Luke Ashworth.

WITH THE FLAG



"THEN CONQUER WE MUST WHEN OUR CAUSE IT IS JUST."

The HERALD cordially invites recipients of mail from soldiers in any and all branches of the service to send the letters to this office for publication. All matter of a personal nature will be eliminated in the publication; also the original letter will be returned to the owner directly after its publication without in any way being marred.

MAY MERGE EXPRESS CO'S. INTO ONE

(By Associated Press)
Washington, April 2—Merging of the express companies under a new corporation to operate them as a unit and work out a basis for distribution of profit, is under consideration by the railroad administration and representatives of the companies.

REQUIREMENTS DIVISION CREATED

Washington, April 2—The creation of a requirements division which will establish priority of delivery in raw and manufactured war materials was announced today by the war industry board. This division will eliminate competition among government departments in obtaining supplies.

THE HERALD HEARS

That a candle is still needed in the east side of the illuminated clock on the North church tower.

That the Dover train to this city on Monday morning carried 850 passengers.

That this is the line the B. & M. wanted to practically close, up a few years ago.

That among those who took Easter Sunday for a long walk were two young ladies on Islington street.

That they started for Greenland village and according to all accounts had come across country hike.

That they are not saying much about the fact that they took the wrong railroad and headed for Breakfast Hill.

That a city map and also one of the surrounding country would come in handy on the next Sunday stroll.

That the clerks at the income tax office are not sorry the rush is over.

That house thieves are once more keeping the police of Dover busy.

That the street department put the picks in the Daniel street ice today and in some places it was 18 inches thick.

That the business men there were glad to see the carts taking it away.

That real estate rumors were never going so thick and fast.

WILL BE THEIR OWN CADDIES

(By Associated Press)
Chicago, April 2—A plan for golfers to release caddies for farm work and contribute the usual caddy fees to war funds is under way, having been started by some Chicago men, headed by Percy H. Boone of the Calumet Country club. During the first year of American participation in the war, golfers contributed thousands of dollars to the Red Cross, Liberty Loans and other war funds, used parts of hundreds of links for gardens and furnished many prominent players to the army and the navy.

With the spring cry for youths to help on farms, the campaign to induce golfers to carry their own clubs has gained many supporters—even although the golf season is several long weeks away. As outlined in the prospectus of the campaign the golfer is invited to make his usual call at the desk of the caddy master; but instead of demanding a youth to lug his clubs, he is to proffer 50 cents the average fee for carrying 18 holes, and request two thrift stamps. The purchase of the stamps is made secondary, however, as the main object of the campaign is to release the caddies for the farms.

It is figured that there are about a thousand golf clubs of first class size, whose average number of caddies daily is 25 each. This would make a total 25,000 boys.

POLICE FORCE IS GROWING SMALLER

Not Enough Men to Properly Patrol the City.

The night patrolmen of the Portsmouth police force looks like a cor-

poral's guard. With the city busier than it ever was and the business still increasing, only a half dozen men are covering the city at night. Fifteen years ago with two-thirds of the population we have today, with practically no business at the navy yard, no shipbuilding plants, no foreign population, no auto traffic, the police force consisted of 19 men.

Ever since those days it has been growing smaller until it has reached about the number required to police the town of Newmarket or Exeter. The police commission has done all possible in increasing the pay of the men which they deserved, but nothing has been done to obtain the necessary number of men and one man is required to do two men's work when a patrolman is off on sick leave.

At present the men are losing the day off each week, owing to no men to fill the places of sick officers.

If such conditions continue it cannot but work hardships for the handful of men who are trying to get along the best they can.

HEARING BY THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Board Here Today on the Matter of Proposed New Gas Rate.

The public service commission, Edward C. Miles, John W. D. Worthen and William T. Gunnison were in session at the probate court house this forenoon where they conducted a hearing on the petition of the Portsmouth Gas Company to increase the rates of gas in this city. Attorney Albert J. Hatch appeared for the Gas Company and Attorney Samuel W. Emery for certain consumers. Edward Seybold, president and treasurer of the Gas Company, appeared before the board and a greater part of the forenoon was given to his statements concerning the business of the company. The hearing continued during the afternoon.

THE NEW LIBERTY BONDS

The terms of the Third Liberty Loan were announced Tuesday night and are as follows. The bonds will be dated May 2. The matter of maturity has not been determined. The first interest payment will be made on Sept. 16, and interest will be semi-annual thereafter, in September and March. The loan campaign will be of four weeks' duration ending on May 4. The banks have until May 9 to report subscriptions to the federal reserve bank. The total payment will be 6 per cent. The second payment will be 20 per cent due on May 28; the third, 35 per cent, payable July 18; the fourth, 40 per cent, payable August 15. All outstanding certificates of indebtedness, including tax certificates due in June, with the exception of certificates due in April, which were announced before the loan was announced will be accepted in payment of the bonds.

THE HOSPITAL IS CROWDED WITH FORTY-ONE PATIENTS

Every Available Space Taken for the Caring of the Sick.

The Portsmouth Hospital is crowded with patients at the present. The institution is caring for 41 people, the largest number at one time since it was established. Every available space has been utilized and it has become necessary to place cots in the corridors, reception room and other parts of the building used for other purposes. The hospital would answer all purposes ten years ago, but in recent years it has been shown many times that the bed capacity should have been increased and the maternity branch of the hospital put under a separate roof or annex erected for that purpose only.

OBITUARY

Orren M. Lang.
The news of the death of Orren M. Lang, a former Portsmouth resident, at Epping this morning has been received. He was 38 years of age and leaves a sister, Mrs. James McKenzie, a brother, Ezekiah, now in France; a step father, Edwin M. Berry; a step brother, Edwin M. Berry, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Parker of Quincy, Mass., are visiting the former's parents in this city.

MOTHER'S DAY TO BE OBSERVED MAY 12

Philadelphia, April 2—May 12, the second Sunday in May is Mother's Day.

"In honor of the best mother that ever lived—your mother," was one of the slogans under which the celebration of this day was inaugurated by Miss Anna Jarvis, of Philadelphia several years ago. The object is to bring about world recognition of a specified day as one for universal emphasis of love men and women owe to a good mother, has been recorded a response from practically every civilized nation.

But this year Mother's Day is to have a significance even deeper than formerly. With the assistance of military and naval authorities in the U. S. with the country's ships at sea and commanding her troops abroad, and with the aid of the Red Cross and Y. M. C. A. officials, the day is to be one for an interchange of greetings between mothers at home and their boys with the colors.

By men in foreign service, it is hoped the day will be partly devoted to letter writing. Congress has made this day a national flag day. Secretaries Baker and Daniels and General Pershing have endorsed the innovation to be introduced this year on the theory that nothing so stimulates the morale of fighting men as letters from home. Honoring mothers or their memory through some distinct act of kindness—a visit, a letter, or the wearing of a white carnation—ar other marks of Mother's Day observance which have been widely adopted in North and South America, England, Europe and Australia.

In her annual announcement of the day, Miss Jarvis says: "It is not a day of idle sentimentalism. It evokes a renewal of allegiance to our highest ideals, of sympathy and will contribute to the sanctity of home and motherhood and the strengthening of domestic and national integrity."

SEVENTH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

A party of friends assembled at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. James Jamieson at No. 120 Marcy street on Monday evening and assisted them in the celebration of their seventh wedding anniversary. A choice lunch was served during the evening and Mr. and Mrs. Jamieson were presented with a large bouquet of American beauty roses.

OBSEQUIES

Brant Lee Johnson
The body of Brant Lee Johnson who died at the Naval Hospital, was shipped to Portland, Ore., Mon. under the direction of O. W. Ham.

ASKS NUMBER OF OFFICERS IN WASHINGTON JOBS.

Washington, April 1.—Following recent criticism of assignment of large numbers of army officers, including young men of draft age, to non-combatant work in Washington, the Senate today passed a resolution by Senator Thomas of Colorado, asking the War Department to give the Senate the number of staff officers stationed in the District of Columbia.

SORROW AT NEWBURYPORT

We must be sorry if there is no chance of developing a ship-building plant here for there are few places along the coast better fitted for just such an enterprise.—Newburyport News.

Miss Margaret Ballard, a senior at Smith college, has arrived from Northampton, Mass., to pass the spring vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ballard of Middle street.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

NEW TODAY—SEE PAGE SEVEN

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Large desk, small desk, book cases, tables, etc. Tel. 1057. he a1, 3t.

FOR SALE—A full equipped restaurant, with eight tables, two gas and one coal range. A bargain. Apply A. B. this office. he a2, 1t.

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FOR SALE—3-Burner New Perfection all stove with oven. In good condition, complete for \$12. Apply 470 Lafayette road. Tel. 1393M. he a2, 1w.

FOR SALE—1917 Ford runabout. Extra truck body. All in good condition. Address C. A. D. this office. he a2, 1w.

FOR SALE—Good sound horse, weighing about 1100 pounds, also harness, team and sleigh. Address G. F. D. this office. he a2, 1w.

TO LET—One large front room, suitable for 2 gentlemen. Tel. 5047. he a2, 1w.

LADIES NIGHT AT JOHN LANGDON CLUB

J. Edgar Park Gives Able Address to Large Crowd.

The John Langdon Club of the North Church had its annual "ladies' night" observance last evening in the North Church chapel. A good number were in attendance, and the evening one of social interest.

The speaker of the evening, J. Edgar Park, gave a most interesting talk, his topic being "Around Army and Navy Encampments," telling his remarks on his personal experience, having passed some time in army camps and naval reservations on the east coast of this country, working under the Y. M. C. A. for the enlisted men.

The speaker pictured different training camps he had visited and the types of men met there. He spoke of camps in the South, in Virginia and West Virginia, and told how he had to adjust his talks to his audience. One night he would speak to 800 negroes in the service, then being transferred to another camp his audience would be made up of boys who could neither read nor write; in another camp his hearers would be 8 per cent New York Jews, the next audience perhaps largely Irish and another would be army officers from the best families of New York city, while another audience would be made up almost wholly of college men, who had enlisted for the war.

The health of the enlisted men in camps was referred to by the speaker. He said it was rather wrong to think there was such a large per cent of sickness in the camps. While there is more or less illness it should be realized that enlisted men after a physical examination are often sent to the camp hospital for minor ailments which they had at home. Such men often undergo some minor operation and come out of the hospital minus their aches and pains and made physically fit for service.

It was Mr. Park's mission to go among the enlisted men and cheer up

those who seemed to need good cheer. He told of visiting some camp where there was a yachting company giving entertainments that week and he felt that it was the greatest victory of his life that he, a clergyman, was given an encore after his talk on "Cheer up" as it came directly in the middle of the program.

Many advantages of the routine and discipline of army life were referred to by the lecturer. He told of the careless gait of the average throng of civilians arriving in the camps to train as soldiers, but after starting to train were taught how to sit and stand; to drill in the open air and have plenty of out of door exercise. The army food, he said, was good and the men were allowed plenty to eat. Uncle Sam, he said, looks well after the morale of his men and if a soldier goes wrong in an army camp of the average type he goes because he does not want to keep to the right. The government aims to have its men taken care of and the speaker told of one instance where conditions in the surrounding town to a training camp were bad for the men. Word was sent out by the army officials that the conditions must be righted or the place would be absolutely cut off from the town, meaning a business loss to the town. The adverse conditions were at once remedied.

Mr. Park said; contrary to the opinion of many, the enlisted men in camps are having the time of their lives. They feel they are doing something worth while. The man who has craved one before he left home, but such a man can lower the efficiency of a whole barracks 10 per cent by going around with a grouse on. A hero is only a hero when he does a thing gladly, and the rank and file of these young men who have gone to the call of their country are in the war with the highest ideals.

The speaker interspersed his talk with numerous amusing stories and witty sayings which made it all the more entertaining. At the close he received hearty applause.

A social hour followed and barlequin ice cream, assorted cake and coffee served.

TO LET—Newly furnished flat of four rooms with bath. Man and wife preferred. Apply 40 Fleet street, Suite 2, between 6 and 8 p. m. he n11f

HELP PUSH ASIDE THE STREET KNOCKERS

Portsmouth has a big job on its hands and it should have the co-operation of every patriotic citizen. The "Old City by the Sea" is coming to its own in spite of the little crowd of knockers. It is going to succeed in spite of them and it is not necessary to name them. True, some of them keep under cover and to their work in the determination to kill every project that is started that they are not cognizant of.

Readers of The Herald are optimists. They cannot help from being so; they read a clean, progressive newspaper that is for Portsmouth and the best interests of the country. If you want to help our city join in the campaign of boosting. Every time you hear the knockers, look them over and ask yourself this question: "What have they done for Portsmouth?"

We want to make our newcomers contented and happy. Let's give them a hearty welcome and show them that we are alive.

KITTERY

Kittery April 2.—Constitution Lodge, No. 83, Knights of Pythias, meets this evening.

The regular midweek prayer meeting of the Government Street church will be held this evening, and the pastor will continue his talks on the "Life of Paul." The last official board meeting before the annual conference will be held at the same time.

Mrs. George Snow of Chelsea, Mass., and sister, Miss Dora Jackson of Hildesford were visitors in town on Sunday.

Miss Josephine Trafton of Lotts avenue is passing the week with relatives in Cambridge, Mass.

Mrs. Harold Chick of Kittery Depot passed Monday with relatives in Dover.

Daniel Lunt of Pleasant street is able to go out after an illness.

Mrs. Lydia Locke of Whipple road continues to improve from injuries received recently by a fall.

Mrs. Emma Jackson of Hildesford was a visitor in town on Sunday.

Mrs. Donald Smith has returned to her home in Portland after a visit with friends here for several weeks.

There will be an initiation at the meeting of Piscataqua Chapter, O. E. S., on Wednesday evening and members are asked to bring fancy cookies.

Mrs. Richard Rogers of Rogers road is restricted to her home by an attack of bronchitis.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Meth-



are shown in our wall papers. Every pattern is beautifully executed, and the colorings are so charmingly matched that they are certainly entitled to be called

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At Hampton Beach, N. H.

One large corner store on the front, near Casino, in the heart of the business section. Best location on the Beach for any kind of business. Also one small store to let. Inquire at 434 New Broad street, City.

Can Your Raincoat Be Fixed?

Why let the inside strapping fall off, so the stitch may soon rip? Let the raincoat fixer see it? You can save money by not buying a new one.—I fix all kinds of rain coats.

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Abundant Water Supply Guaranteed for Manufacturing Plants, Hotels, Farms, and Suburban Residences.

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oldest church will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. Charlotte Cottle.

Mrs. J. P. Jenner of Otis avenue is able to go out after an illness.

Charles T. Trafton passed Sunday in Cambridge and Boston.

Richard, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pruett, who was severely injured last week, is reported as resting comfortably.

Leslie Heeney of Central street left Monday morning to resume his studies at Bowdoin college.

Miss Addie Eaton of Rogers road resumed her duties as bookkeeper at the office of George D. Boulter on Monday, after an illness.

Dolores, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. William Laird of Central street, who has been very ill, is now much better.

Mrs. Francis Hatch of Whipple road has returned from a visit to relatives in Trenton, N. J.

Harry H. Cook returned Monday night from a few days' visit to his sister in Elliot.

The Wentworth school is closed for a week's vacation.

Mrs. Charles Gray of Gray Lodge is visiting in Hartford, Conn.

Mrs. G. H. D. L'Anoureaux and Miss Grace Farham have resumed their duties at Trafton Academy after a few days' illness.

Mrs. George Wilson of Wentworth street has been passing a few days with her sister in Kingston, N. H.

George Williams is restricted to his home on Echo street by illness.

Leslie R. Blackford of Pleasant street is recovering from an illness.

Vander W. Forbes of Central street passed the week-end at his home in Sanford.

Mrs. Sarah Richardson of Pleasant street is able to go out after an illness.

Philip Webber, U. S. N., passed Sunday in town with his family.

NOTICE. Beginning April 1, all sales will be positively cash on delivery.

GEO. D. BOULTER.

PERSONALS

Frank L. Pryor passed Tuesday in Boston.

Miss Clyde Spinnery has been visiting in Boston.

R. R. Bryant of Islington street is ill with the measles.

Dr. Angelo M. Zarrella of Boston is passing a few days at Rye.

John W. Bartlett passed Sunday at his home in Lynnfield Center, Mass.

The young child of Dr. S. T. Griffin of Miller avenue is quite seriously ill.

Miss Edna Boyd has returned to Simmons college to resume her studies.

Miss Elizabeth A. Goss of the Lynn hospital staff is visiting relatives in Rye.

Jeremiah Crowley of Washington street has enrolled in the naval reserve.

Mrs. George W. Holland and daughter Mrs. Atkins, passed Monday in Boston.

Rev. and Mrs. L. H. Thayer attended a conference in Boston on Monday.

Miss Roberta Pickering has resumed her studies at Abbott Academy, Andover, Mass.

Mrs. Charles Green of Hildesford, Me., formerly of this city, is passing a few days in town.

Mrs. George Mutholland has accepted a position in the millinery store of the Misses Flynn.

William Horan, who is a student at Kent's Hill School, Maine, is home for the Easter vacation.

Miss Margaret MacLusky of Bellows Falls is visiting her aunt, Mrs. U. P. Philbrick of Woodbury avenue.

to pass the summer at his farm in Ogdensburg, He will do his bit for the war by doing some intensive farming.

Civil Engineer F. L. Bellinger, U. S. N., left for Washington this morning and later goes to Mississippi for duty.

Frank H. Meloon Jr., of the Boston Record staff passed the week-end as the guest of his father, Frank H. Meloon of State street.

Harry Newman is on a ten days' furlough from his duties at Fort Constitution, New Castle, and left yesterday for a visit at his home in Indiana.

Chief Commissary Willard Drake, U. S. N., who is assigned to duty at Washington, D. C., returned to that city after a few days' visit at his home in Rye.

R. L. Hopkins, who has been foreman of The Herald mechanical department for a number of years, has taken an extended leave of absence in order to opassthesium.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Wallace Billings.

Mrs. Wallace Billings, wife of the former physical director of the Y. M. C. A., this city, died Sunday at the Lynn, Mass., hospital. The news of her death will be heard with deep regret by a large circle of friends here. She had been ill but a few days.

NOTICE.

The Employment Bureau conducted by Rev. John L. Davis, will on and after this date be in charge of Mrs. Martha Countee, 37 Court street, (333 New Number) 2nd Floor, Lower Room, under the same patronage given heretofore.

REV. JOHN L. DAVIS, Hanover St., Portsmouth, N. H.

MY TIRED FEET ACHED FOR "TIZ"

Let your sore, swollen, aching feet spread out in a bath of "Tiz."



Just take your shoes off and then put those weary, shoe-crinkled, aching, burning, corn-pestered, bunion-tortured feet of yours in a "Tiz" bath. Your toes will wriggle with joy; they'll look up at you and almost talk and then they'll take another dive into that "Tiz" bath.

When your feet feel like lumps of lead—all tired out—just try "Tiz." It's grand—it's glorious. Your feet will dance with joy; also you will find all pain gone from corns, callouses and bunions.

There's nothing like "Tiz." It's the only remedy that draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up your feet and cause foot torture.

Get a 25-cent box of "Tiz" at any drug or department store—don't wait. Ah! how glad your feet get! How comfortable your shoes feel. You can wear shoes a size smaller if you desire.

ICE BREAKS UP IN SWAMSCOTT RIVER

The ice went out of the Swamscott river Sunday night on theebb tide, it being three days later than in 1917. It is now practically clear to the first turn. About a mile down stream, the ice cakes however, being thicker than for many years, Monday huge cakes of ice floated back and forth in the river with the tide, they averaging over two feet in thickness, and some of them reach large proportions otherwise. It is not thought that damage will result to the Newfields-Stratham bridge, although it is likely to receive some hard bumps from the cakes. The large cakes are also going over the dam of the Factor Manufacturing Co., which are attracting much attention.

The date this year is two days earlier than in 1916, which was April 2. Temperature records compiled during the past month shows that the average temperature was 31.5 degrees as compared with 32.1 in 1917 (the maximum being on the 31st, when it was 65 degrees, and the minimum on March 9 at 5 below zero.

ENTERTAINED PLAYMATES

Miss Gladys Gentlemen observed her ninth birthday anniversary on Saturday and in recognition of the event entertained a number of her playmates at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Gentlemen on Rogers street. Games were enjoyed by the young folks and a birthday repast served, each child also receiving a slice of the birthday cake.

itching piles, proctitis, proctitis, but profanity won't remove them. Doan's Ointment is recommended for itching, bleeding or protruding piles. Get it at any drug store.

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Naval Uniforms to Order, at the price paid for inferior ready made uniforms. All work guaranteed.

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You will save money if you buy here. Good assortment to select from. Many are only one of a kind.

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HERALD HONOR LIST STEADILY GROWING

Send in Your Names of Young Men in the Military Service.

The Herald list of Portsmouth men in the military service is growing every day. Of course you will want your boy's name on this roll of honor which The Herald will later print and preserve. Hurry the names along for this roll. Let the people know who the young men are from this city who are doing their bit.

There is very little interest here in the honor agency allowed under the present law. The general impression is to not have one at all. If it is to be dry have it dry in every way.

FOR HOUSE CLEANING TIME

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Fifty Colors.

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The whiskey that has suited so many, so many years, it will likely suit you.

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Distilled and Bottled by Bonnie Bros., of Louisville, Kentucky.

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Wrestling Match

"CYCLONE" BURNS VS. TOM DRAAK

For Light Weight Championship of the World.

GOOD PRE LIMINARIES.

At Freeman's Hall, Wednesday Evening, April 3rd.

Wire Your House THIS SPRING

Wiring a house adds far more to its value than the cost of the work. If you have not the comforts of Electricity you are doing without the greatest of modern aids to housekeeping.

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GOING AFTER THE LOAFERS IN NEW JERSEY

(By Associated Press)

Camden, N. J., April 2.—They are going after the loafers in New Jersey. All over the state the police and state officers are planning to round up the indolent ones under the Anti-Loafing law recently passed by the legislature.

There will be no distinction. Hoboes and millionaires if they do not work, will be put in the same class. All are required to put in at least 36 hours each week at work of some kind. If any one refuses to obey the law it means a fine of \$100, three months in jail, or both.

Plans for carrying out the provisions of the new law were discussed at a recent meeting of police officials and sheriffs from all parts of New Jersey. Sheriff Corson of Camden county said after the conference that loafers, without regard to their station in life will be seized and will be allowed one week to go to work or else face prosecution.

The State Commissioner of Labor submitted the following plan for the enforcement of the law: Whenever an officer of the law sees an idler he will take him to the nearest police station. There the man must fill out a form card, which will indicate the kind of work he is best fitted for. He will then be directed to hunt for work. The card will be turned over to one of the public employment offices. If the man cannot find work the employment bureau will offer him a choice of jobs. If he should reject this offer a specific job will be picked out for him. If he still refuses to go to work he will be prosecuted.

Large posters announcing the provisions of the law and warning idlers that it will be enforced will be sent to all sheriffs with instructions to display them prominently.

ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP GROWING FAST

Meetings to Come.

Monday, April 1.—Salem to be addressed by Mr. Huse.
Tuesday, April 2.—East Kingston.
Wednesday, April 3.—Derry.

Last week was one of active work among the Clubs of the farmers and the embryo organizations of the boys and girls.

Chester.

A meeting was held in the interests of the Boys and Girls' Club movement and the call brought out twenty-eight young people. Mr. N. A. Carlisle gave an interesting address and explained the objects of the club formation. He was followed by Miss Mary Sanborn, who spoke in the same trend in regard to the Girls' clubs.

A good interest was shown and the promise is of a good club. Enrollment blanks were distributed.

Londonderry.

A conference of farmers and hay dealers was held yesterday at the State House, with a view of increasing the sale of New England grown hay.

A classification was decided upon of the different grades, which will be submitted to the National Hay Association by G. W. Crampton of the Chamber of Commerce, with the request that it be adopted.

The classifications follow:
No. 1 New England hay shall be uniformly with not more than one-sixth mixture of clover or other tame grasses, or their mixtures.

No. 2 New England hay shall be uniformly not coarse enough to be classed with No. 1, with 50 percent of other tame grasses, which may include 25 percent clover; good color, sound and well baled.

No. 3 New England hay shall comprise medium coarse hay, not good enough for No. 2; sound and reasonably of the county of their organization.

Prof. Wolf took up the subject of the farm garden and handled it in such a manner that each of his audience had resolved to do more in this line of production at the close of his address.

Dr. Hyde presided and added a word of inspiration as the psychological moments arrived.

Club Membership

The following is the membership of each club on Saturday last. The roll is rapidly growing and the 1000 mark is being up in the near distance.

Do your bit to pass the thousand mark. One new member by each of the present association would make the County leave New England. Looks easy and is easy if each man works.

Londonderry 63
Salem 49
Stratham 47
Greenland 36
Nottingham 33
Exeter 32
Fremont 31
Hampton Falls 21
East Kingston 28
Chester 27
Derry 27
Deerfield 26
Plaistow 24
Epping 24
Addison 22
Auburn 21
Candia 21
Newmarket 20
Roxbury 20
Sandown 20
Northwood 19
Newton 18
Raymond 16
Portsmouth 11
South Hampton 11
Brentwood 10
Kingston 10
Newington 9
Hampton 8
Danville 7
Hampton 7
North Hampton 7
Newfields 5
Rye 3
Seabrook 2
Windham 1

ATTENDING CONFERENCE OF LABOR

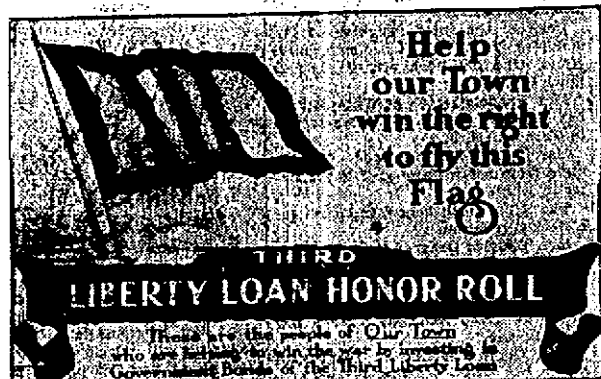
Richard I. Cooney, president of the State Labor Union, and Harry Hartford, representing the Allied Trades on the navy yard and Draftsmen Welfare are in Washington attending the National Labor Conference.

No matter what you want to know about Portsmouth ask The Herald.

THE HONOR ROLL AND HONOR FLAG

Form the Chief Prizes of the Third Liberty Loan

WHICH TOWN IN THE COUNTRY WILL FIRST TAKE ITS QUOTA?



The adoption of the Honor Roll and the Honor Flag for communities in the Third Liberty Loan campaign promises to add an element of competition in service throughout the whole country, to the sale of Liberty Bonds, which was seen in neither of the earlier loans.

What the Honor Roll did at Cedarhurst, Long Island, the only town which employed it on the Second Loan, proves the tremendous force of the idea.

On the First Loan Cedarhurst took \$175,000 worth of Liberty Bonds through 350 subscribers; on the Second, 3420 subscribers took \$1,200,000. Yet Cedarhurst was just an average American community with perhaps more citizens of foreign birth than the average and many citizens of small means.

All that the Liberty Loan Committee did was to make public day by day, acknowledgement, not of money subscriptions but of the list of those who had answered the call of the nation, and by giving this list the honor that was due, persuaded others to secure a place.

To the Honor Roll idea has been added for the whole country, for the Third Liberty Loan the Service Flag idea. Those who acknowledge their debt to the nation by adding with their money will receive widest public recognition for their act. Enrollment among bond holders will get credit just as if it were enrollment in the ranks of army or navy.

Those who enlist money in the Government service will have a symbol to display in the form of the Honor Flag. This is like a Service Flag in design and in spirit. It is rectangular, with a broad red border surrounding a white field, the gold bearing three vertical blue bars, marking the Third Liberty Loan.

There will be no provision on the flag to show the amount subscribed. The slogan "This flag is your window will help win the war" is counted upon to point the way to win subscriptions.

Whether it is one \$50 bond or 50 bonds at \$1000 each, the same credit will be given on the public Honor Roll. The name of the subscriber beneath this caption.

THESE ARE THE PEOPLE OF OUR TOWN WHO ARE HELPING TO WIN THE WAR BY INVESTING IN GOVERNMENT BONDS OF THE THIRD LIBERTY LOAN.

This Honor Roll will be displayed in some public place. It will be reproduced from day to day in news-

papers or circulars, so that the whole community may know who has joined the Honor Roll.

An appeal to join the Roll from motives of local pride will be the second slogan on the Honor Roll: HELP OUR TOWN TO WIN THE RIGHT TO FLY THIS FLAG.

With the slogan will be displayed a picture of the Honor Flag. This will be the same symbol awarded to individual subscribers, but no town will be permitted to fly the flag until it has exceeded its quota of the issue of the Third Liberty Loan. The quota is proportioned upon the wealth of the town. Every community thus has an equal chance to win the right to fly the Honor Flag.

As a further honor a city or town that buys double its quota of bonds will receive the right to add a blue star to its flag. Every additional 100% will mean another star.

The proof of the power of community pride lies in the competition already begun to win the first Honor Flag in the country by securing the first complete quota. Dozens of cities or towns have announced that they are out to get it.

The Government encourages this competition by promising to make the award of the first Honor Flag an important official event. It is expected that Secretary McAdoo will attend the first ceremony and raise the flag with his own hands.

The towns of the West and South are especially keen about this competition. They realize the honor it will be to have official proclamation of the community first to respond to the nation's call for funds.

The competition should not only add enormously to the total subscription of the Loan, rolling it up to show the soldiers how the country is backing the war, but it will aid in cementing individuals into communities, communities into States, and States into a true nation.

The Honor principle will be carried right to the top. All the towns that have won the Honor Flag will have their names permanently reported on the Roll of Honor at the State Capitol. The record of the State will be set down in the same way on a grand Honor Roll at the Treasury Department.

Once won, the Honor Flags and the names on the rolls of honor are historic mementoes that will not be the least of the family treasures when the relics of this war for human liberty are displayed to future generations by those who helped to win it by purchasing Liberty Bonds.

COUNTRY CLUB ELECT OFFICERS

The annual meeting of the Portsmouth Country Club was held on Monday evening at the directors rooms of the New Hampshire National Bank. The following officers were elected:

DON'T WASTE TIME

It's a waste of time to experiment with liniments and plasters when you have a dull, throbbing backache or sharp, stabbing twinges. Get after the cause! Help the kidneys with Doan's Kidney Pills. Read this.

James Pickles, Proprietor, carpet renovating works, 129 Burdett St., Portsmouth, says: "I was afflicted with kidney trouble for several years. The pain in my back was terrible and often sharp stitches cramped me so that I could scarcely move. The kidney secretions were irregular in passage and contained sediment like brickdust. During the night I was obliged to get up a good many times to pass them. Although I tried various medicines, I was unable to get relief until I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Phillips' Pharmacy. They helped me from the first and a couple of boxes cured me."

The Results Lasted.

Over four years later, Mr. Pickles said: "I gladly back up what I said some time ago, recommending Doan's Kidney Pills. This medicine has given me permanent results."

Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Pickles had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

SPORT NOTES OF INTEREST

John Kilonis and Pink Gardner will battle for that much abused "middleweight" title at Manchester Wednesday night. The middleweight limit is 158 pounds. If John should cut off a couple of lbs and Gardner should do likewise, these men might make 168 pounds. Always bear in mind that Earl Caddock, who has a first class

claim on the heavyweight championship of the world weighs less than 170.

Jack Barry, manager of the Boston Navy Yard team has cancelled the Fast Day game at Dover. Barry and his ex-leaguers will play at Manchester on that date.

George McCurdy of Newburyport, Mass., who will referee the boxing bouts in this city Friday evening, has had many years experience in the game, and before taking up his residence in the Massachusetts city, he toured the country with several boxes of world-wide reputation. When George takes charge of a boxing contest he is ringmaster at all times.

The Bumpkin Island Naval Reserve will have a fast ball team this summer and are now looking for games with fast New England clubs. The service team will have the pick of many of the crack college players. Stewart, a former International League pitcher will top off the battery.

Question: "Did you ever hear of a wrestler who gave his correct weight?" Answer: "Don't talk foolish." Question: "Is it an easy matter to get a mat man on the scales?" Answer: "Yes, if you 'gas' him."—Exchange.

The Rochester High school baseball schedule for 1918 is as follows: April, Sanford at Rochester; April 25 (Fast Day) Laconia at Laconia; April 27, Somersworth at Central Park; May 1, Farmington at Rochester; May 5, Herwick Academy at South Herwick; May 8, Sanford at Sanford; May 11, Portland at Rochester; May 15, open; May 18, Portsmouth at Rochester; May 25, Dover at Rochester; May 30, Dover at place not determined (an exhibition game); June 1, Herwick Academy at Rochester; June 5, Portsmouth at Portsmouth; June 5, open; June 12, Dover at Central Park; June 13, Farmington at Farmington; June 15, Laconia at Rochester. The games with Dover, Herwick Academy and Somersworth are league games.

John Kilonis is booked to meet the "Unknown" at Lewiston, Me., in the near future. The "Unknown" challenged Bill Dryden some weeks ago. This "Unknown" stuff is getting to be kind of a joke. For a guess we would say that the "Unknown" bird is none other than a wrestler named Adams who wrestled an exhibition with Homer Trueman at Lewiston some weeks ago.

Local baseball men are arranging for a ball game in this city for Fast Day and a strong team will be picked to represent this city.

Bowdoin college varsity candidates will take up strict training Wednesday at the beginning of the spring term for a hard schedule ahead. The champion collegians of Maine in 1917 will have only three of last year's players with them, but the variety trying out for the positions gives Bowdoin promise of having much to do with deciding diamond honors for the Pine Tree state again this year.

MILK NOTICE.

On and after April 1, 1918, the price of milk delivered in Portsmouth will be as follows:

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A good sized crowd of carpenters were held off at the Atlantic Corporation on Monday, owing to lack of material and the fact that the carpenters had got ahead of the other work.

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Paris, April 2.—Equipment valued at more than \$20,000 sent by the American Army Y. M. C. A. to the British front for the use of American railway engineers and other American units, virtually all has fallen into the hands of the Germans. Four times the Y. M. C. A. men moved their positions, and they abandoned during the retreat one large wooden building, two large tents and a quantity of supplies.

Five soldier huts loaned to the British Y. M. C. A. have been lost. Two others on the French line were destroyed by shell fire and two were damaged seriously. A rented Y. M. C. A. center in Chalons-sur-Marne was damaged badly by bombs.

The only casualty among the Y. M. C. A. workers at the front has been that of Miss Marion G. Crandall, previously reported killed by a shell.

The Y. M. C. A. has placed its cars at the front and elsewhere at the disposal of the British and French in removing wounded soldiers and refugees.

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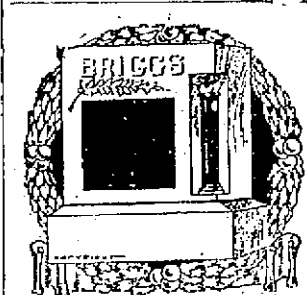


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Nobody bakes bread in the home in Europe. The farmers there do not live on their farms but in villages and all depend on the village baker. This wholesale baking of an entire community saves fuel and was the rule in time of peace. Now that coal in France costs from \$110 to \$135 a ton individual baking is not possible.

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WORKMEN MAKE PRESENTATION TO MR. ASHWORTH

Navy Yard Men Extend Well Wishes and Give Him Several Presents.

The esteem in which Master Shipsmith Luke Ashworth of the navy yard smith shop was held by the workmen was demonstrated Monday when he was called to the shop office and presented with the following article as a remembrance of the good feeling and respect which has existed between the shop crew and Mr. Ashworth since he took charge of the plant: alligator traveling bag, safety razor set, manicure set, gold watch, chain, case of briar pipes and tobacco.

It was hard work for the recipient to respond to the presentation but he finally found words which came from the heart and expressed himself most feelingly for the costly gifts and the well wishes of the men who have labored with him the past eight years. He concludes his duties on Wednesday and will leave in a few days for his new duties at the plant of the Seattle Shipbuilding and Engine Company, Seattle, Wash.

NOTES FROM THE NEWINGTON SHIP PLANT

Flag Day will be Saturday, April 6, when a large American flag and a special U. S. Shipping Board flag will be raised. A special program will be carried out and the workmen will hear some able speakers.

In the future it will not be safe for one to carry a camera near the ship plant, either on the water or on shore. On Sunday, Henry Owsing, one of the guards, observed a boat on the river with two men and they were taking snapshots. He phoned Chief-clerk at Elliot who placed them under arrest and took their camera. One of the two was a marine and he was turned over to the yard authorities and the commandant informed.

Every day shows the great need of housing facilities.

The train service is almost impossible since the loss of the bridge.

A MILLION DOLLARS

The Middle Street Baptist Church has been co-operating in the Baptist Laymen's Million Dollar Drive and already has subscribed to the amount of several hundred dollars in addition to

a generous Easter offering. The money raised in the drive is to be used for missionary purposes through the war.

LOCAL DASHES

This weather appears to be too good to be true.

Help make Portsmouth the cleanest city in the state.

The morning train were delayed today on account of the fog.

The Lenten season over, a number of social events are scheduled.

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The post taxes were due beginning Monday and now is the right time to hand the Collector \$2.00.

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The fine weather of today and yesterday has enabled the local merchants to keep their store doors open.

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The Postlock Commission have made an appeal to the local clubs to set aside one night a week for the entertainment of some of the enlisted men.

Don't forget to attend the big dance given by the Little Downey A. C. at Freeman's hall, Monday evening, April 5.

The Girls' Patriotic League entertained a group of enlisted men last Saturday evening at the John Paul Jones house. Dancing was enjoyed and refreshments served.

Big Easter Ball, Freeman's hall, Thursday evening. Battle of Music, 14 musicians, concert 8 to 8.30. Continuous dancing until 1 o'clock. Balcony seats only 15c.

An Audubon society has been formed by girls of the Farragut school. The plan is to have regular meetings and Saturday hikes to study bird life. Much enthusiasm is already being shown in the society.

The supervisors of the Portsmouth District Nursing Association for April are Mrs. Northwick and Mrs. Thayer. The services of the nurse may be obtained through either of these supervisors or through the attending physician.

SHERIFF TAKES A CAMERA FROM MEN

Said to Have Been Taking Pictures of Ship Plant at Newington.

One of the special police doing duty at the Newington shipbuilding plant on Sunday discovered a member of the marine guard and a civilian said to have been taking pictures of the plant from a boat in the river. He immediately informed Sheriff Leach of Elliot who put out after the men and confiscated the camera.

HOME FOR SPRING VACATION

Ralph Brackett, Arthur Davis, Chas. Perkins, Frank Peterson, Harold Sweetser, Wallace Akerman, Theodore Butler, Emerson Spinney, Guy Plaisted and Melvin Cotton, local young men, who attend New Hampshire college are home from Durham for the spring vacation.

NOTICE.

The Portsmouth Marine Local, No. 503, extends a cordial invitation to all electrical workers in Portsmouth, Freeman's Point and Newington to come in with us on Wednesday evening, April 3, at 7.30 p. m., in the Moose hall, High street. Fraternally, E. HOWARD BYRNES, Rec. Sec.

BOYS' CLUB MEET.

The Boys' club of the Farragut school met last evening at the school building, 25 or more being present. Games were enjoyed and pictures shown of ranch life. Music also added zest to the occasion.

RAND NOTICE.

An important meeting of the Portsmouth City band will be held at the band room on Court street Thursday evening April 4, at 8 o'clock.

FIRE COMPANIES ELECT OFFICERS

Changes in Engines 1 and 3, and Ladder Co.; New Member and Sub for Engine 4.

The several companies of the fire department held the annual election of officers on Monday night and a few changes were made in the companies of Engine 1, 3, and Ladder 1.

The following are the officers elected:

Engine 1—Captain, Jeremiah J. Reagan; Lieutenant, Daniel O'Brien; clerk, Thomas A. Moran; steward, John Quirk; pipeman, Michael O'Leary.

Engine 2—Captain, Willis Wallace; Lieutenant, Percy H. Harney; clerk, George H. Tripoli; pipeman, George E. Cox; steward, Frank Dyer; finance committee, Francis H. Harney, George E. Cox, William M. Varrell; standing committee, Herman Chandler, Gardner Witham, Earl Amazeen.

Engine 3—Captain, Harry L. Critchley; Lieutenant, George R. Woods; clerk, Robert R. Malfrey.

Engine 4—Captain, George O. Lane; Lieutenant, Charles W. Odiorne; clerk, Charles H. Kehoe; pipeman, Frank Gustaverson.

Ladder 1—Captain, John O. Downs; Lieutenant, Horace Spilney; clerk, Willis P. Gray.

Captain Reagan succeeds Donald Kelley on Engine 1, who was recently appointed a patrolman in the police department. Critchley succeeds Capt. Miles on Engine 3 and Horace Spilney succeeds Thomas Frittlek.

William Williamson was appointed a member of Engine 4 and Wendell Amos was named as a sub in the same company.

The several companies enjoyed a lunch following the meetings.

WHIST PART YAND DANCE.

The Modern Woodmen will give a whist party and dance at Woodmen's hall, Market street, Tuesday evening, April 2. Prizes given.

TEACHERS MEETING.

A meeting of the public teachers was held at the high school hall on Monday afternoon.

LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE, NOTICE

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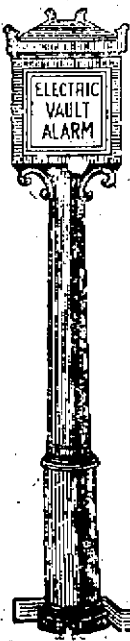
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